

Tuesday Evening, October 18, A Great Mass Meeting Will Be Held, At The Wendell Phillips High School, 39th Street and Prairie Ave; In The Interest Of The Fort Dearborn Hospital and Training School For Colored Nurses

HON. THOMAS CAREY, PRESIDENT OF THE CHICAGO NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, WILL PRE-SIDE; DR. JOHN DILL ROBERTSON, COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH OF CHICAGO; HON. JOHN G. DRENNAN, DISTRICT ATTORNEY FOR THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY; HON. EDWARD R. LITSINGER, PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF REVIEW OF COOK COUNTY; HON. LOUIS B. ANDERSON, ALDERMAN OF THE SECOND WARD; HON. ALFRED CLOVER, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE PUBLIC LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY; HON. GEORGE B. HOLMES, JUDGE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF CHICAGO, AND HON. A. H. ROBERTS, WILL BE AMONG THE SPEAKERS.

A SHORT AND HIGHLY INTERESTING MUSICAL PROGRAM WILL BE RENDERED.

The drive for the Fort Dearborn Hospital and Training School for Colored Nurses is still on and many of the ladies who have been engaged in working in the interest of the hospital are just beginning to learn how to bring in the money. It was utterly impossible in five days' time to cover all the ground which had been allotted to them, and from this time on the headquarters of the Fort Dearborn Hospital fund raising campaign will be found on the second floor of the Roosevelt State Bank Building, 35th street and Grand boulevard. Phone, Douglas 4013.

The Fort Dearborn Hospital is a worthy institution and the efforts to raise money for its support will not slacken until it is placed on the map in first class shape or anchored on a solid foundation.

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HOWARD LAW SCHOOL RAISES STANDARDS.

Washington, D. C.—The Howard University Law School began its first year under Dean Mason N. Richardson, who was elected last spring upon the resignation of the late Dean Benjamin F. Leighton, with the formal opening Saturday night, October 1, at which time announcement was made of the enlarged program of instruction and the raising of standards looking to the placing of the Howard University Law School in rank with the great law colleges of America. At the opening, Dr. J. Stanley Durkee, president of the university, addressed the body of students and the large number of Alumni of the Law School upon the subject of "Life and Law." "Work—Immortality rather than self-immortality," was the idiom of life which he urged upon the students. He impressed upon them the possibilities of life manifesting its greatness through work consummated under the benign influence of law.

Prof. Andrew Wilson, who presided in the place of Dean Richardson who was absent due to illness, announced the enlarged program that would mark the work of the new school year. He invited attention to the additions to the faculty, the recasting of the curriculum along lines approved by the Association of American Law Schools, and made special reference to the reorganization of the moot court in which the work this year will be more important than it has ever been.

Following the announcements by the acting Dean, the professors who were present offered in turn a brief word as to their special subjects. A feature thoroughly enjoyed was the rendition of two violin solos by Miss Clementine Hart, daughter of Prof. W. H. T. Hart, of the faculty. Many improvements have been

made in the Law School, both in the raising of the standards of the school and of the physical structure of the building. The raising of the academic standards for admission calls for an accurate system of checking up the claims of applicants and of keeping their records after they have been allowed to register. No applicant can enter the Schools of Law now unless he can show a transcript of four years of accredited secondary work or its equivalent as measured in Carnegie units. In 1924, the requirement will be two years of standard collegiate training.

During the summer a complete new heating system has been installed under the direction of the secretary-treasurer of the University. In the place of the old gas lights bright, new electric lights hang from the ceilings in all the rooms, while new sanitary arrangements on all floors and in the basement are provided. For the office of the secretary new furniture has been provided. It was hoped that the planned construction of a new story to the Law School building to provide for additional classrooms would have been completed during the past summer, but on account of the contractors not being able to finish the work by the opening of the school year this improvement has been postponed until the coming summer. Thus, the Howard University Law School, already secure in its title to a place among the A-No.-1 law schools of the country, has boldly announced its intention to move on to a seat in the front row of the assemblage of the great American institutions of legal learning.

Mr. Frank Hoover of Middleton, Wis., master of Capital City Lodge of Madison, Wis., attended the Grand Lodge. He is a business man of that city, owning and conducting one of the best restaurants in that part of the country, known as the Middleton Motor Club. While here he met many of his old friends.



DR. JOHN DILL ROBERTSON

The Best Health Commissioner That Chicago Has Ever Had, Who Will Speak Tuesday Evening at the Wendell Phillips High School, in the Interest of the Fort Dearborn Hospital.

THE HOWARD AND LINCOLN TEAMS WILL SOON BE READY FOR THE FRAY.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Arrangements have been completed by Graduate Manager, W. G. Alexander, and A. D. Williams, Student Manager, for all of the details of the Lincoln-Howard game. The management of the National League park, where the football classic will be staged, is endeavoring to make a different arrangement to the field so as to give a better view for all of the spectators.

The range of prices for seats will be the same as two years ago, namely, front box seats, \$2.00 each, rear box seats \$1.50 each, grand stand \$1.00. Ushers will be provided so that reserve seat holders will have the seats which have been allotted to them. The general supervision of admission and reception will be under charge of Mr. C. M. Cain of Atlantic City.

The Howard team will be quartered at the Y. M. C. A., and this will be the headquarters for the Howard men. The Lincoln team will have their berths at the Berean Club. The headquarters of the Lincoln men will be at the Hotel Dale.

The local Alumni Associations, representing Howard and Lincoln, are arranging to make the stay of all visitors in the city pleasant. Dr. T. S. Burwell, representing Lincoln, and Dr. T. L. Powell, representing Howard, will be in charge of the entertainment features. The Alumni have arranged, in connection with a group of representative Philadelphians, to hold a morning Reception and Dance at the Hotel Dale. In the evening there will be a reception given to the teams of the two universities, the coaches and the officials at Musical Fund Hall.

BANQUET IN HONOR OF BISHOPS L. J. COPPIN AND A. J. CAREY.

Tuesday evening, October 18, at 8 o'clock, a home coming banquet and reception will be tendered to Bishops L. J. Coppin and A. J. Carey, who have just returned from attending the Ecumenical Conference in London, England, and visiting Continental Europe, at Bethel church, 30th and Dearborn streets. Rev. S. L. Birt, pastor; Mr. N. F. Murray, chairman, and Mr. B. W. Fitts, secretary. The affair is held under the auspices of the Burns-Murray Club.

RACES CO-OPERATE IN VIRGINIA.

Hampton, Va.—White and colored women in Virginia, as well as in other Southern states, are so much in earnest about doing the right thing that they are able to speak frankly to each other concerning their common problems. The recent fourteenth annual meeting of the Virginia State Federation of Colored Women's Clubs, presided over by Superintendent Janie Porter Barrett of the Virginia Industrial School for Colored Girls, which was held in Lexington, laid special stress on the value of interracial co-operation. President Barrett, who has served the Federation in this capacity from the beginning, said:

"The inter-racial movement being launched in different States is most important. There will never be a time when goodwill between the races will be more needed than now, and I know of no group in a better position to stand by that movement than you women of the Virginia State Federation of Colored Women's Clubs. I feel that I can count on you to throw your whole strength with this movement."

"You and I have learned from experience how much can be accomplished by white and colored people trusting each other and working together. The Virginia Industrial School is an example. Neither the white nor the colored women could have done that piece of work alone, but together we have done work which is acceptable to the community, the State and the country."

"You and I are in a position to speak for the sincerity and the loyalty of some of the white men and women who are as anxious as we are to right wrongs, for we have tested them. We can never stand by and hear white people denounced as a whole because of the wrongdoings of some, without telling of those we know in the North and in the South who are working unceasingly for justice and fair-play for all."

White and colored men and women spoke before the Federation women who are trying to get a common platform upon which the churches and clubs can work to develop community programs. Virginia citizens, both white and colored, through this Lexington meeting, had their attention directed to some serious problems in child-training and health conservation. The Federation, on invitation, visited the Virginia Military Institute and Washington and Lee University.

THE NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS OF THE PHYLLIS WHEATLEY CLUB.

Phyllis Wheatley Home—One of the most delightful events of the year was the homecoming of all of the old members and many of the friends of the Phyllis Wheatley Club, Wednesday evening, October 5. The newly elected officers were installed by Mrs. Clara Johnson, Chairman Executive Board of the State Federation. Music, Reminiscence talks and refreshments were the features of the evening.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Phyllis Wheatley Home Association was well attended Saturday afternoon, October 8. The reports showed splendid progress under the wise leadership of the retiring President, Mrs. Gertrude Moore. During the two years of her administration, two thousand dollars have been paid on the principal, other thousands of dollars have been expended for repairs, salaries and interest. The marvelous work so quietly and harmoniously carried on was a revelation to those present who were not familiar with the activities of the Home.

The following newly elected officers will be installed Friday evening, Oct. 28, at the Home. Visitors are welcome:

President—Mrs. Clara Johnson, 1st Vice-President—Mrs. Fannie C. Blevins, 2nd Vice-President—Mrs. Mattie Johnson Young, Recording Sec'y—Miss Lena L. Perry, Corresponding Sec'y—Mrs. Fannie B. Williams, Treasurer—Mrs. Geraldine Withers. Directors—Mrs. Bertha L. Hensley, Mrs. Fannie C. Blevins, Mrs. Beatrice Mitchell, Mrs. Sylvia Mills, Mrs. Irene Moore.

Personals.

Mrs. Lorena Mitchell, the new superintendent of the Phyllis Wheatley Home comes with excellent references of fifteen years' experience in social service work, teaching with her pleasing personality and tactful knowledge of the Psychology of girls, she promises to be a success.

Miss Mary Ewell, a graduate in Pharmacy of Howard University, Washington, D. C.; Miss Akers, former night secretary of the Phyllis Wheatley Home, Cleveland, Ohio; Miss Moore, Phyllis Wheatley Home, Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Bryson, Michigan; Miss L. La Forte, Miami, Fla., and Miss L. Allen, Birmingham, Ala., are recent arrivals at the Home.

The Phyllis Wheatley Club will hold its regular by-monthly meeting

THE MEMBERS OF THE MOST WORSHIPFUL PRINCE HALL GRAND LODGE OF FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS OF ILLINOIS AND ITS JURISDICTION HAVE BEEN HOLDING FORTH THIS WEEK AT THE MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH, EVANSTON, ILLINOIS.

MOST WORSHIPFUL GRAND MASTER THOMAS H. SAMUELS, PRESIDING.

THE CEREMONY, IN CONNECTION WITH CONSECRATING THE GROUND OF THE MT. MORIAH TEMPLE OR LODGE NO. 28, WAS VERY IMPRESSIVE. THE STREET PARADE ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON ATTRACTED A GREAT DEAL OF ATTENTION.

HON. HARRY PEARSON, MAYOR OF EVANSTON; ADDRESSED THE MEMBERS OF THE GRAND LODGE ON TUESDAY MORNING, WEARING HIS BLUE LODGE REGALIA.

Tuesday morning the majority of the members of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Illinois and its jurisdiction convened at the Mt. Zion Baptist church, Evanston, Ill., Most Worshipful Grand Master Thomas H. Samuels presiding. There was not one dull minute in the three days' session.

On Tuesday morning Hon. Harry Pearson, mayor of Evanston, delivered the welcome address to all of the members of the craft rigged out in his Blue Lodge uniform, and Mayor Pearson seemed to be right at home with the colored people, for he remained around the church shaking hands with everybody until dinner time, then he sat right down at one of the long tables with Most Worshipful Grand Master Thomas H. Samuels and the other prominent Masons occupying seats near him.

Tuesday afternoon Grand Master Samuels read his report covering the work of all the lodges within the State for the past year, and it was full of highly interesting facts. It plainly indicated that many of the lodges are buying much valuable property in all parts of this State.

Wednesday afternoon the members of the Grand Lodge, including many Knight Templars, headed by the band paraded through the leading streets of Evanston onto Emerson street and Ridge avenue, where the ground was consecrated for the new Mt. Moriah Temple. The ground is 75 feet by 200 feet, right on the corner

LEGION POST PASSES ANTI-KLUX RESOLUTIONS

Resolutions condemning the Ku Klux Klan have been adopted by the George L. Giles Post No. 87, American Legion. The resolutions urge that State officers of the Legion do all in their power toward assisting the Congressional investigation. Copies were forwarded to the State convention of the Legion at Decatur by Post Commander Earl B. Dickerson.

Mrs. Minnie Roach, representing Prince Hall Grand Guild, Heroines of the Templar Crusades of Illinois and jurisdiction, extended greetings to the Grand Lodge in behalf of those bodies.

Mrs. Melissa McClure of Chicago attended the opening session of the Grand Lodge in Evanston.

Mr. Robert Hudson, past master of North Star No. 1, was among the delegates in Evanston.

Master in Chancery of Pulaski county, Attorney Chas. L. Rice, was the first person to enroll as a new subscriber to The Broad Ax at the Evanston Grand Lodge last Tuesday.